18 (New).   The article of claim 17 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable a processor-based system to generate the video representation in response to a remote request from a remote location.

19 (New).   The article of claim 18 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable a processor-based system to send the encoded audio communication to a remote location and decode the communication at the remote location.

20 (New).   The article of claim 19 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable the processor-based system to generate a video representation including a HTML page and receiving a request to play back in the form of an activation of a control in the HTML page.
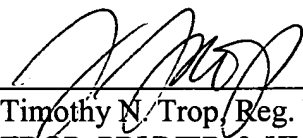
REMARKS

All of the claims except claim 6 and its dependent claim have been canceled. A new Beauregard format claim has been incorporated which is modeled after claim 6.

None of the cited references teach receiving, via the video representation, a request to play back one of the encoded audio communications. Similarly, with respect to dependent claim 9, none of the cited references enable a play back request in the form of an activation of a control in a HTML page. Therefore, reconsideration of the rejection of the claims is respectfully requested.
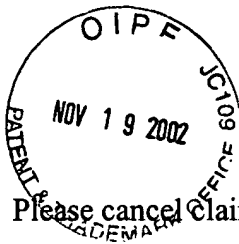
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APPENDIX

Please cancel Claims 1-5 and 11-16.

Please add the following new claims *et seq.*

17 (New).   An article comprising a medium storing instructions that, if executed, enable a processor-based system to:

        receive a plurality of audio communications;

        encode each of the plurality of audio communications;

        generate a video representation of the encoded audio communications;

        receive, via the video representation, a request to play back one of the encoded audio communications; and

        decode the requested one of the encoded audio communications.

18 (New).   The article of claim 17 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable a processor-based system to generate the video representation in response to a remote request from a remote location.

19 (New).   The article of claim 18 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable a processor-based system to send the encoded audio communication to a remote location and decode the communication at the remote location.

20 (New).   The article of claim 19 further storing instructions that, if executed, enable the processor-based system to generate a video representation including a HTML page and receiving a request to play back in the form of an activation of a control in the HTML page.